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OFFERS his services to the citizens of Mt.
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PHOTOGRAPHS.
—ALL THE LATEST—
CITY STYLES
AT BRYAN'S,
July 13. MT. STERLING, KY.

JAS. A. BASSETT,
ARCHITECT.
Office on Main Street, in the Debar building.
I am now prepared to Draw Plans, W.C.
Specifications and furnish Estimates of
Buildings on short notice.

TERMS REASONABLE.
34-79-4. J. A. BASSETT.

**LOUISVILLE, CINCINNATI AND
LEXINGTON RY. TIME
TABLE.**

TRAINS WEST. No. 4. No. 12.
Leave Mt. Sterling..... 5:30 a.m. 12:00 m.
" " Winchester..... 6:14 " 12:40 p.m.
" " Lexington..... 7:00 " 1:30 "

TRAINS EAST. No. 9. No. 11.
Leave Lexington..... 7:45 a.m. 2:40 p.m.
" " Winchester..... 10:30 " 5:40 "

CONNECTIONS.—Nos. 4 and 11 connect with
Cincinnati Southern.

CHEATHAM & GILLIGAN,
—DEALERS IN—
Fresh Meats and Vegetables,
On Main Street, Mt. Sterling, Ky.
KEEP the best meat in the market, which
they offer to the public at prices from
2 CENTS UP TO 12 1/2 CENTS.
Also MUTTON, (best to be had) at 8 and 10
cents.
Respectfully,
CHEATHAM & GILLIGAN.
July 1-1881.

DR. J. F. JONES,
MT. STERLING, KY.
OFFICE—Corner Court and Broadway, over
Samuels & Trimble's.
Opposite Court House.

OWEN LAUGHLIN,

Manufacturer of and Wholesale and Retail
Dealer in

Saddles and Harness

—AND—

TIN, COPPER

—AND—

SHEET-IRON WARE

Maysville Street,
Adjoining Curtice & Co's Livery Stable,
MT. STERLING, KY.

THE stock will embrace every article in the
Saddle, Harness & Tin Line.
I employ none but the
BEST WORKMEN
and feel confident that all work leaving my
shop will prove satisfactory.

**Tin and Sheet-Iron Roofing and
Guttering**
will be under the control of
Mr. Pat. Laughlin,
a workman of long experience, and whose skill
is unsurpassed in this or any other state.

Thankful for past favors, I respectfully so-
licit a continuance of the same.
OWEN LAUGHLIN.

FURNITURE

—AND—

Undertaker's Goods!

A FULL stock of the above goods can be
seen at the Old Reliable establishment
of John Lindsey, Sr., Main street, Mt. Ster-
ling, Ky.

I have added another large room to my
furniture rooms, and filled it with the best
selected stock of furniture. These goods were
purchased upon such favorable terms, that
they will be sold as cheap as any goods of the
same quality ever offered in this market.

SPECIALTIES:
The Best Sewing Extension Table, in
ash or walnut. Chairs, Baby Buggies and
Carriages at Manufacturers' Prices.
Window Cornices and Picture Frames made
to Order. The National Strop Roller, the best
in use, for 50c. per set. Portable Platform
Crises, Folding Camp Chairs, Spring Bed
Bones and Children's Boudoirs.

I USE THE BEST ROLLERS MADE.
Mattresses good and cheap. Parlor Furni-
ture ordered and satisfaction guaranteed.
Call and see my stock and learn prices before
purchasing elsewhere.

The Undertaker's Department is still
under the control of Mr. J. E. Tipton, who
has moved above the store, and can be found
at the store or residences all times of the day
or night. This department is supplied with
all kinds of Wood Cases, Coffins, Caskets
and Caskets. Shrouds of the latest design
for infants or adults. Call and see and
get the prices.

JOHN LINDSEY, SR.
John Holland's
GOLD PENS!

Long Nibs, Short Nibs, Bank and
Commercial Pens.
Telescope Cases—Gold and
Ebony Handles.

**Ivory Desk Holders, Tooth
Picks, and everything in the
Pen Line.**

The Secret of Happiness.
How often have we longed for perfect
enjoyment and how seldom found it.
Misfortune has come, or ill health over-
taken us. Perhaps a cough has come
upon us which threatens that dreaded
of all diseases, consumption, and we feel
that death is near. With what joy should
we be filled then, when such a remedy
as Dr. King's New Discovery for Con-
sumption is placed within our reach. It
has cured thousands who were near the
grave and made them happy. Asthma,
Bronchitis, Hoarseness, Loss of voice,
difficulty of breathing, or any affection
of the Throat and Lungs are positively
cured by this Wonderful Discovery.
Now to give you satisfactory proof that
Dr. King's New Discovery will cure you,
if you will call at J. W. Harrah's Drug
Store you can get a trial bottle for ten
cents or a regular size bottle for \$1.00.

When you have an inflamed eye,
a swollen hand, or decayed and aching
tooth, you do not take and fill your stom-
ach with drugs to cure it, but apply a
cooling lotion or some soothing remedy
directly to the parts. So if you have a
weak or lame back, sore kidneys, pro-
fuse or scanty urine, or the secretory
system is clogged and inactive, you should
use Prof. Guilmotte's French Kidney
Pill, which is a directly local application,
which always give speedy relief and al-
ways cures the disease. Ask your druggist
for it.

The massive columns in the court
house, so much in the way, have been
removed and the second story suspended
to the roof by means of strong iron at-
tachments. Two side doors have been
cut, a bay window added for the Judges
to sit in and other changes which will
probably very much enhance the con-
venience of the room. With good ven-
tilation and a comfortably arranged
court room it is to be hoped that the
judge, lawyers and juries may accelerate
the dispatch of business in vindicating
the laws of the land. If they wish to do
good service to the country they should
hang criminals and not hang themselves
so much.—[Richmond Herald.]

OTIS W. SNYDER,
THE JEWELER,
Upper Street, near Main,
LEXINGTON, KY.

CLOUDS WITH SILVER LININGS.

"There's never a day so sunny,
But a little cloud appears;
There's never a life so happy
But has had its time of tears;
Yet the sun shines out the brighter
When the stormy tempest clears.

There's never a garden growing
With roses in every plot;
There's never a heart so hardened
But it has one tender spot;
We have only to pursue the border
To find the forget-me-not.

There's never a cup so pleasant
But has bitter with the sweet;
There's never a path so rugged
That bears not the print of feet;
And we have a Helper promised
For the trials we may meet.

There's never a sun that rises
But we know 'till set at night;
The tints that gleam in the morning
At evening are just as bright;
And the hour that is the sweetest
Is between the dark and light.

There's never a dream that's happy
But the waking makes us sad;
There's never a dream of sorrow
But the waking makes us glad;
We will look some day with wonder
At the troubles we have had.

There's never a way so narrow
But the entrance is made straight;
There's always a guide to point us
To the "little white gate";
And the angels will be nearer
To a soul that is desolate.

There's never a heart so haughty
But will some day bow and kneel;
There's never a heart so wounded
That the Savior cannot heal;
There's many a lowly forehead
That is bearing the hidden seal.

There's never a day so sunny
But a little cloud appears;
There's never a life so happy
But has had its time of tears;
Yet the sun shines out the brighter
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"APRIL!"
She walked across the fields, ice-bound,
Like some shy, sunny bird of spring,
And stooping suddenly, she found
A voice—a dainty thing,
Which shrouded the chilly light of day
Until sweet "April!" came that way.

They knew each other, girl and flower;
There was some subtle bond between;
And I had walked, that very hour,
The fields, and had no violet seen;
For me the winter landscape lay
All blossomed and black and gray.

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TEXAS LETTER.

HUNTSVILLE, TEXAS.

W. T. Havens:

I am delighted to read the news in the
SENTINEL and Democrat. These Texas
folks read them with much interest. For
fear of the Ky. folks forgetting me in
their rush of business, I give you a short
letter, which you can dispose of as you
wish.

Huntsville has a population of 2,000;
well supplied with stores, filled with gen-
eral merchandise; plenty of churches, but
poorly attended; two colleges for males
and females and other public and pri-
vate schools. Board and tuition free at
the Sam Houston Normal Institute, with
a pledge that the student will teach in
their own district some length of time
they were at the Institute, receiving pay
for their services.

FARMING.

It is a laughable sight to see the tools,
wooden mould board plows and the use
of raw-hide, etc.; yet there are a few
that use the Avery, Brinley and Oliver
plows. Harrows are not used and roll-
ers are unknown. Soil or new ground is
broken up in winter 2 to 2 1/2 inches deep.
Spring plowing I call goose scratching—
use small plows and run 2 to 3 1/2 inches
deep. The best farmers list five rows
together, then lay off one way so it will
draw. I saw a great many laying out
and planting, and they would break the
ground afterwards, if it did not get too
dry or wet. The average farmer plows
corn once and cotton twice. The best
farmers use horse drawn plows in the
very wet seasons; yet with all this they
manage to live and make fair crops.

LANDS.

Can be bought that are well adapted to
farming or stock raising, on Trinity river
or near railroad, well timbered, inter-
spersed with prairie, unimproved, from
\$1 to \$2; moderate improvements, com-
fortable house, 100 acres, fenced, \$2
to \$3; with rich bottom, \$5 to \$8, owing
to overflow. I saw over 1,000 acres
planted in corn and cotton in one prairie
field. It was the richest and best farm
I have seen and sold at \$17 per acre. It
is a grand sight to look across the rows
as far as eye can reach and not see a
stump, and yet in this same field I saw
five acres of unpicked cotton that would
make a bale to the acre that they did
not have time to pick and were going to
plow under. Shame! Shame! Labor is
scarce—many are using convicts. The
prairies are best adapted for working
them.

STOCK.

Cattle, yearlings, \$5.50 to \$8; 3 to 4
years old, \$9 to \$10. Cattle and sheep
have gone through winter in pretty fair
shape. Horses are small and common
and those out of range are very poor. Hogs
are of a good common grade—a few
Berkshires. They are all very fat, hav-
ing had a plentiful supply of pecans and
acorns. They get poor during the sum-
mer. There are a few good bulls and
two thoroughbred studs in this section,
fifty miles apart, and stand at \$25. I
could sell some good stock here.

FRUIT.

A bountiful supply of wild fruit, not
much tame fruit cultivated. Mr. W.
M. Patterson, near Trinity, on railroad,
has 35 acres in peach trees and 6 in
plum, layed off ten feet apart, and two
acres in state of nature. Before the
building of the railroad he fed hogs on
plums and damaged fruit, but now he
has a big trade. He is a live working
man, has farm and fence in order and is
improving the stock of the country. He
has a Jersey bull, a good jack and a few
blooded mares. This county needs a
thousand like him.

GAME.

Deer getting scarce. Wild turkeys,
partridges, quails and rabbits very
plentiful. Fish plentiful.

Flowers plentiful, trees green, new
radishes, onions, etc. I will go farther
west soon.

Respectfully,
ROBT. T. SMITH.

The policy of the contractors of Scrib-
ner's Monthly in having a number of
short notes to accompany their histori-
cal series of "Peter the Great" has proved
a fortunate one. The publication of
"Peter the Great" has materially in-
creased the circulation of the magazine,
and has resulted in a large sale of back
numbers and volumes (there have been
one thousand copies of last year's vol-
umes sent in England alone during the
past few months), and the printing of
these bright novelettes has appealed to
even a wider constituency, and has been
an excellent balance to the heavier
material of the history. Of those already
published, Mrs. Schayer's "Tiger-Lily"
at once established her reputation as a
writer of capital short stories, while noth-
ing of Mrs. Barnett's yet issued has been
more widely read and enjoyed than "A
Fair Barbarian." In May begins Mr.
Gibbs' "Madame Delphine." The au-
thor of "The Grandissimes" has already
scored so great a success as a writer of
short stories and as a novelist that there
can be little doubt as to the quality
of "Madame Delphine." Every one
knows Mr. Howells, and the announce-
ment that he, too, will contribute a no-
vellette, to begin in the June Scribner,
with the title of "A Fearful Respon-
sibility," has been received with not
a little satisfaction by his large consti-
tency of readers. Later there will be
printed a short story by H. H. Boy-
sen, and another by the author of "An
Earnest Trifler," whose long silence since
his first success augurs well for the new
story. It is expected that these last two
will begin in the "Midsummer" Scrib-
ner.

All the able-bodied citizens over twen-
ty-one years of age not candidates, an-
nounced or prospective, for Clerk of the
Court of Appeals are expected to stay at
home and take care of the woman and
children.—[Courier-Journal.]

The statute relating to insulting lan-
guage has given the courts more business
and caused more annoyance than any law
passed in the last ten years.

A Lay Sermon by J. M. Thomas.

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FOR STATE SENATOR.
HON. RODNEY HAGGARD,
OF CLARK COUNTY.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE.
HON. H. T. DERICKSON,
OF POWELL COUNTY.

Watch the date following your name on the paper, and keep paid up. That shows the time to which your subscription is paid.

Announcements.

We are authorized to announce Hany M. Pierat, of Morgan county, a candidate for Representative in the Legislative District composed of the counties of Morgan, Magoffin and Breathitt, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

We are authorized to announce W. M. Kendall, of Morgan county, a candidate for Representative in the Legislative District composed of the counties of Morgan, Magoffin and Breathitt, subject to the action of the Democratic party.

The justices of the county court assembled to-day to determine whether they will submit to the voters of the county a proposition made by the Paris and Big Sandy and Paris, Georgetown and Frankfort Railroad companies (which are consolidated) for the county to take \$50,000 of stock in their companies and to furnish the money to pay for the right of way and depot grounds in the county not to exceed \$20,000, all to represent stock and all payable in twenty year bonds bearing six per cent. interest payable semi-annually. No bonds to issue until the road is finished to this city.

The Atchison (Kansas) Daily Patriot copies a resolution adopted by the council of that city complimenting the outgoing Mayor, Hon. John C. Tomlinson, formerly of this county, and makes some very flattering editorial comments upon the official career of that gentleman which we will print next issue. We are always glad to hear good reports of our former fellow-citizens. Mayor Tomlinson has won golden opinions from the Kansas people since he has lived there and deserves all that may be said of him.

To-morrow is the day set for the first issue of the Bath County News to appear. Mr. Wallace S. Gudgeon, the editor and proprietor, is a most exemplary young man whom we are proud to claim as our friend, and we fully concur with Tom Young in wishing the News success so far as it may advance the personal interest of Mr. Gudgeon, but we trust it will not cause any Democrats to stray from the fold. Too close in Bath now.

The lying correspondents of the daily papers ought to be suppressed. The big stories daily telegraphed from three points in Kentucky are generally the basest kind of misstatements. The papers are devoted and made to pay money for lies, and the unscrupulous public must wait after day read of murders, robberies, rapes, suicides, etc., etc., which never occur.

The Bourbon Sun claims that Capt. T. J. Henry, of West Liberty, candidate for clerk of the court of Appeals, "was born and raised in Bourbon." That is all very just but should the Captain be elected this county might claim that honor if reports of old people are to be credited.

You may sometimes—almost generally always—rely upon the advice of Solomon, the wise man, to guide you in the affairs of life. One of his sayings reads something like this: "Answer a fool according to his folly."

CLARK COUNTY.

WINCHESTER.

Elder Collins, of Lexington, preached in the Christian church Sunday.

Dr. Will Emerson, an extensive trader, died Sunday after a protracted illness.

The Ky. Central will soon be extended from Paris to Winchester. Let her come.

Both elders, foreman and devil of the Winchester Sun, went fishing together Saturday.

Ex-sheriff C. B. Fox moved to the farm of Robt. Griggs, on Four Mile creek, Monday.

J. J. Eubank has again commenced the practice of law and will office with Rodney Haggard.

Friday, 22nd inst., is the last day for filing suits for the next May term of the Circuit Court.

Winchester city school will be closed on the 10th of May for want of funds to pay teachers—too bad.

Carrie, daughter of Will and Carrie Winn, of Mason county, was buried in our cemetery on Thursday.

Dr. F. Phillips is now able to sit up, after three weeks of intense suffering with inflammatory rheumatism.

Mrs. Rachel Risk, mother of Judge Samuel M. Boone, died in Danville on Thursday and was buried here Friday.

POWELL COUNTY.

STANTON.

Capt. John H. Bradshaw, of Bourbon county, was here during court.

Our merchants say they are selling some goods, but hope to do better soon.

The Red River Lumber Company will have their new mill in operation about 1st of June, when they will be able to cut at least three times as much timber in the run of a day as they do now.

There were several railroad men in our town last week. They want the county to vote \$25,000 to the road. We need a railroad through our county to develop its mineral wealth, but I think it doubtful whether the people will vote the tax or not.

Our court convened on the 11th inst. Hon. Robt. Riddell on the bench. I noticed among the lawyers W. H. Holt, A. T. Wood, Thos. Turner, of your town, Col. H. C. Lilly, I. N. Canfield, Robt. Fluty and J. B. White, of Irvine. There was but little business in court.

The petit jury was dismissed on Tuesday and court adjourned Wednesday. Red river was very high and there were but few people present.

R. R.

An Iowa woman, Miss Hattie Duell, tried to eclipse Tanner by fasting and it failed. She died on the 47th day of the fast. The country will not be afflicted by any lectures from her.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

JEFFERSONVILLE.

Wheat looks badly in this vicinity. E. James Huls is suffering from a severe attack of measles.

H. T. Berry and wife, of Huntington, W. Va., are visiting in this place.

Mrs. Sarah E. Hardwick has been visiting relatives in Powell county for several days.

The subscription school at this place is progressing finely, under the management of Miss M. L. Young.

Many planters, induced by the fair prices of the present crop, are making preparations to plant a large area of the White Burley. A number of farmers have been accustomed to over crop them selves at late years in tobacco. The attempt to produce a large quantity resulted in an inferior grade, which failed to bring the amount of money a less number of acres, with the same expenditure of labor, would have brought. If every raiser would plant only a small crop and make a finer quality by attentive tilling and handling and produce more grain and stock, they would realize greater profits.

CAMARGO.

We have had Dr. McIntyre, of Carlisle, in our midst on business for a few days. He has bought property there and expects to remain.

J. M. Ricketts returned from Cincinnati last week, where he had been buying goods, and now Dr. J. T. Ricketts' store is replete with a full stock of goods. I. N. Horton has also returned from Cincinnati, having purchased a stock of goods for the firm of I. N. Horton & Co. They now have a full stock.

Mr. Criger, of Carlisle, has rented Dr. McIntyre's store-house, in this place, and will fill it with a stock of dry goods and notions. Who will now say that Camargo has not struck Camargo? Our citizens consider that Mr. Criger and his excellent young wife will be quite an acquisition to the place, and they can depend on it that we will do our part towards holding up their hands.

MORGAN COUNTY.

GRASSY.

"Died.—On 1st inst., Marion Lykins. He leaves a young widow, daughter of D. R. Altizer, who recently moved to Texas.

The Commissioners, Judge Wm. Lykins, M. B. McClure and J. C. Lykins, met again last week to finish the division of the farm belonging to the Pierat heirs.

B. F.

"Died.—Infant son of Wm. Barnett.

Born.—To the wife of Jas. Hurley, a son.

S. G. Samples bought a very fine jack of W. W. McGuire.

Mrs. L. G. Murphy is confined to her bed with diphtheria.

W. M. Henry's fine grey mare dropped a male colt that was 3 feet 8 inches high.

Joseph Bates, of Frenchburg, bought some very nice cattle in this county last week.

Dr. David Halsey has been confined to his room for some time with fever, but is slowly improving. We hope to see him out again soon, for his services as a physician are greatly needed.

Unfortunate for the wife of Wm. K. Murphy, on last Saturday, near eleven o'clock, she received a paralytic stroke, it being the second. At this writing there is no hope of her recovery.

ROWAN COUNTY.

CROSSROADS.

H. C. Rainey passed here on 12th inst. fixing up Government business.

It is estimated that over 200 rafts of logs passed this point on Sunday and Monday. At least 600 men were with them. This will make money plentiful in Morgan and Magoffin.

Mr. Reizen Thomas, of Lewis county, with his bride, came very near being drowned in Triplett on the night of the 8th inst. The driver of the wagon was not acquainted with the road to the ferry, and drove into a small branch that proved to be swimming to the horses. They managed to get out on an island and were compelled to remain on it until late in the night, when Mr. John Ingram happened to hear calling and went to their aid in a small boat, and extricated them from their dangerous position.

BREATHITT COUNTY.

LOST CREEK.

We are glad to see Col. G. W. Noble out on business again.

Judge E. C. Strong is doing a lively business with his steam mill.

We are sorry to give Dr. J. L. Duff up. He has gone to Morgan county.

Charley Nix and Miss Catherine Fugitt, all of Breathitt, married recently.

The Breathitt boys got more coal and timber to market on this tide than ever left this county on any two tides before. They will have plenty of money.

Railroad fever is running high in this county. There are several parties mining in their coal banks to get samples of the coal for sale to the railroad.

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BATH COUNTY.

BETHLEH.

Jas. G. Lane has moved into the village.

Born.—To the wife of Chas. Stump, a son.

H. C. Rainey in town last week collecting revenues.

Pat Flanagan's little daughter died on 13th, aged 5 years.

Esquire Kendall died on 10th inst. and was buried with Masonic honors.

We understand he was insured in the Mayaville Masonic Company.

A large number of rafts passed down Licking last week. As one passed the mill it was struck by a log, weighing 14 pounds, jumped on it and was secured.

OWINGSVILLE.

James Daugherty has returned home in good health.

J. Clay Lee had another severe spell with his lungs.

Judge D. Ellis Conner has gone to Cincinnati on a business trip.

Judge W. E. Keller was not able to fill his appointment in this place Sunday night, on account of the illness of his baby.

A postal clerk at Cincinnati was caught last week in the act of robbing the mail of a letter containing money. His name is J. G. Unser, an old man, respectively connected and has a family of grown up children.

Col. John A. Peck, a prominent lawyer of Lexington, was stricken with paralysis one day last week and is seriously ill.

WOLFE COUNTY.

CAMPION.

Died.—On 13th inst., the wife of F. Tolson.

There are quite a number of candidates for County Court Clerk, but none of them will be elected if the widow can hold the office.

Mrs. M. A. Spradling has been appointed Circuit Court Clerk of Wolfe county, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of her husband, and it is a question whether or not she can be elected to the office of Clerk. Please answer through the columns of your paper. [Answer next week.—Ed.]

HAZEL GREEN.

J. H. Evans, of Campion, is around staling hands. He will make the race for Circuit Clerk. He is a clever gentleman, a good scholar, and if elected will make a good Clerk.

Uncle "Sully Cox," aged 88 years, had a very severe surgical operation performed on him on the 15th inst., by the removal of a fatty tumor from his face. The operation was performed by Drs. Thornley, Kash, Rowland and Thomas. [Answer next week.—Ed.]

MEMPHIS COUNTY.

CORNWELL.

Gill Messer is not able to sit up yet. J. F. Osborn has gone to housekeeping.

Married.—16th inst., Sam Cornum and the widow Griffith.

R. T. Bean & Co. have their new stock open and have a good trade.

A. Combs returned from Cincinnati last Friday, having purchased a stock of goods for the firm of I. N. Horton & Co.

Jesse Case, who was mangled in the coal mines a few days ago, is not doing any good.

Our school will close this week. Miss Huls, who has been teaching, has gained a considerable reputation here as a first-class teacher.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

The trotting horse Jewett, has been sold to a Pennsylvanian for \$15,000.

Roderick, the well known stallion of Trimble & Keef is advertised in this issue.

I have five nice young jacks, ready for service, which I will sell. Call on or address J. W. Henry.

I have for sale two fine jacks. Call on, or address, JOHN S. PARRISH, Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Capt. John T. Williams, of Morgan county, was here Monday and sold Hove & Barnes 400 bushels wheat at 97 1/2 cents per bushel.

Coleman Barnes sold to his two sons, Thos. S. and Reuben M. Barnes, 61 acres of land on Six Mile creek, near Harris Mill, at \$27 per acre.

T. S. Edwards has sold 150 of his sheep to Reed & Brown, of Lexington, at \$4.50. They will be delivered between June 15th and July 1st.

The Kentucky Wool Growers' Association held their annual exhibition at Lexington last Saturday. The sheep exhibited were very fine. Our country was not represented.

On the 13th the "Bow Park" sale of Shorthorn cattle came off at Chicago. Fifty-four head were sold, and the average price per head is given as \$514. Mr. C. A. Daguerre paid \$4,200 for a cow.

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Business Mention.

Advertisements inserted in Business Mention 15 cents per line. In local news 25 cents per line.

Marriages, births and death notices inserted without charge. Obituaries 10 cents per line. Calls upon persons to become candidates for office, and communications, other than those of a purely local and fashionable character, at the rate of 10 cents per line.

Star Barber Shop, Mayfield street, is the place to get a good, clean shave.

To get a good square meal and a hot bed, at cheap rates, stop at Farmers Hotel, Cross Roads, Rowan county, Ky., kept by Maj. J. Bealin and wife.

A dwelling house, store house, also garden, stable and a good stand for a hotel and store, for rent. Apply to Tip Caywood, Aaron's Run, Ky.

Elegant visiting cards and cases, latest styles, cheap, at SENTINEL office.

Latest styles business cards at this office.

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Room for rent suitable for an office. Call at this office.

Batterick's Patterns at T. P. Martin & Co's.

New Goods of all kinds at T. P. Martin & Co's.

Mrs. H. Calk & Co. are agents for the famous Democrat patterns.

A. J. Wyatt keeps the Burbank Seedling, the finest potato in the United States.

For the latest novelties in Dress Goods, Hats and Dry Goods generally, go to the Masonic Temple Store, Conner & Son.

T. P. Martin & Co. have secured a large stock of Cincinnati made and made-to-order clothing, on 4th street, as assistant trimmer for the season.

Oh! the pretty new style Bonnets, Hats, Trimmings, Silks, Ribbons, Feathers, and Groceries, Notions, etc., on Monday, April 25th. Call and examine his stock.

Re H. Criger will open his store in Camargo, Ky., on Monday, April 25th. Call and examine his stock.

Miss Annie Lightner has just returned from the city, where she selected a handsome stock of new style Millinery goods for Mrs. E. F. Robertson.

Large assortment of Hair Brads, Waves, Combs, Hairpins, Curls, Backs, Neck ties, Collars, Hosiery, Corsets, Laces and Jewelry just from the Eastern markets at T. P. Martin & Co's.

Mr. Robertson, who has had several years' experience in the Millinery business, has secured the services of Miss Annie Lightner, a first-class milliner, to assist him in his new venture. They will both see to it that all are satisfied and work done without delay. They sell very cheap.

Grand opening of imported and domestic Patterns, Bonnets, Hats, fine Millinery, No. goods, including all the latest styles, Groceries

KENTUCKY SENTINEL.

FARM AND LIVESTOCK TOPICS.

SHORT-HORN SALES FOR 1881.
The Hamiltons, Kansas City, Mo., May 25th, 26th, 27th and 28th.
T. Corwin Anderson, Mt. Sterling, Ky., August 18th.

Van Meter & Hamilton, Winchester, Jas. M. Bigstaff, Mt. Sterling, Ky., August 19th.
Chief Justice Peters & Hon. John A. Young, Mt. Sterling, Ky., August 20th.
The Hamiltons, Mt. Sterling, Ky., July 29th.

Formerly the Mambrinos were all the "rage" in Central Kentucky. Of late years the fashion as to this has greatly changed. Now the Hamiltonians have the call. Inside of the last three weeks two sons of "the Old Hero of Chester county" have arrived at Lexington, the two in question being Banker and Aberdeen. Mr. T. C. Anderson, Side View, Ky., has very wisely withdrawn from further discussion with Mr. T. L. Miller, the Hereford champion, of Beecher, Ill. At first the controversy between these breeders of races of cattle—regarded by some as rival races—was interesting; but when the real issue was abandoned, as it soon was, and dirt-throwing became the order of the day, then the columns of the Kansas City Commercial Indicator ought to have been closed and not made odorous with personal nastiness, as it lately has been. It may be that William Watson got drunk whilst he was T. L. Miller's farm superintendent—that, if true, was his misfortune, and entitles him to sympathy—certainly it proves nothing for or against the Herefords. Mr. Miller in indulging in vile abuse has made a serious mistake, and injured both himself and his cause. The real problem back of all this war of words—the problem which furnished the occasion for the words—is just where it was at the outset; and if Mr. Miller still proposes the accomplishment of things revolutionary, he will have to employ methods very different from those used by him in the past. Perhaps there are men who may be induced to a belief in the superiority of the Herefords; that any can be blackguarded into holding Mr. T. L. Miller's views are as unwilling to believe.—[Courier-Journal.

Dr. I. R. Best has purchased the 80 acres of land, lying opposite Frank Champ's from Bob Milam at \$75 per acre. Mr. John T. Fizer, of Hooktown, contributes the information that a small quantity of sassafras bark, put in hen's nest, will keep the nest from vermin, and that even a sassafras pole for a roost, will have the same effect on the poultry house. It is a glaring fact, that the wheat crops in Bourbon, Harrison and other counties along the line of the K. C. Railroad, show that they put in the dry hills have stood the severe winter much better than those sown broad cast and scratched in with the harrow and brush.—[Bourbon News.

Hogs are still in demand at \$4 50. Local buyers are offering \$4 25 for the best hump, delivered in town. The ruling price for grass land in this county seems to be about \$4 per acre. Corn is worth \$2 35 and \$2 40 per barrel in Winchester. Rye is worth \$1 per bushel. James Chorn sold to Joe Wilkerson 30 stock hogs, averaging 175 lbs., at \$4 50 per cwt. J. W. Green purchased 171 hogs, averaging 165 lbs., in Powel last week and sold them in Cincinnati at \$5 40 per cwt. The present prospect for grass is the poorest that has been known in Kentucky at this season since the war. Feed is also scarcer than ever before known and all classes of stock will be more or less injured in consequence.—[Clark County Democrat.

Short-horns are destined to meet with greater competition in the future than they have ever yet experienced; it therefore behooves their breeders to look about them and consider if all are of that perfect form which may defy the attempt of placing other cattle in an equal rank. Here is the superb Hereford boldly advancing, seemingly determined to be no longer rated as second best; then there is the beautiful Devon, recently transferred to the fertile West, where, finding a more favorable climate and richer pasture than ever before enjoyed, he is increasing annually in size, and may yet nearly rival the best of other cattle in their magnificent proportions. Added to these, now comes the Black Angus, the Red Norfolk, and some other Polled sorts, which, after being crossed with the Short-horn, are rapidly coming up to equal his size, early maturity, and aptitude to fatten.

These last three breeds usually excel in the crops, both behind the shoulders, and roundness of the fore ribs, while the Short-horns surpass all other cattle in the brisket, loin, quarter and twist. Is there any reason why he should not do the same universally in the rest of his points? Certainly there is none whatever, provided due attention be paid hereafter to his breeding; for we already have many Short-horns which equal the Hereford, the Devon and the Polled in the fore quarter, while they almost always excel them in the hinder parts. Now, to overcome any deficiencies and make them commendable in every point, breeders have only to select such bulls as are of the most perfect forms, and put these alone to their cows. By thus doing, nearly every one of their progeny will soon attain to the desired perfection of form and quality. In order to accomplish this result more rapidly, it may be necessary to resort to in-and-in breeding to some extent. But in practicing this we must be particularly careful to use such animals alone as unite to perfection of form, great vigor, good constitution, fine handling and early maturity.

Why Raise Sheep?—Because it will pay. That is to say: A farm of a given size can be stocked with sheep for less money than will be required if cattle, horses or hogs are employed. Sheep will come nearer utilizing everything that grows on the farm than either of the above-named animals. Less labor will be required for getting feed and stock together. The returns will come in sooner (except with hogs) and often

than from any other farm stock. Less money is required for fencing and shelter, when these are supplied; and less labor is involved in herding, where outside pasturage is accessible and preferred. Add to these the further fact that a handsome income on the investment can be had without the sale of the animals themselves, and one has the reasons why every farmer not exceptionally situated should have a flock of sheep suited to his surroundings.—[National Live-Stock Journal, Chicago.

The Owen News says the largest crop of tobacco will be set in Owen county this season that was ever before set in the county. It will take every person in the county who has any knowledge of its cultivation to attend it.

Lon Willis, a Lewis county boy, bought ten acres of land last year at \$45 per acre, built a barn 73 by 40 feet, and of a crop of five acres raised enough tobacco to pay for the land and barn and had money left.

The preparation of wool for the market is an important matter. Every farmer, no matter how small his crop is, will find that it will pay to handle carefully. As the Wool Growers Bulletin very opportunely suggests, "clean and well bred wool brings the best prices. Wool free from dirt, such as sand, soil, dung and sweat balls, gun grease, burrs, free from hard or bleached ends, is always saleable at full market prices; and to reliable people. It should not be tied up too tight in fleece, should not be enveloped in several yards of heavy jute or hemp twine. It should be packed tightly in the bale or bag, but loosely in the fleece. A careful shearer (and none others should be employed) will keep the fleece together. A careful roller will see that not a fiber goes into the fleece but what belongs to it. If a box roller is used, see that it leaves the fleece open and light and attractive; a fleece of wool may be pressed so tightly as to be rejected by even a good judge of wool as a heavy fleece. There is a medium in all this. Not too loose as to appear "taggy," nor too tight to appear "soggy." In a word, be honest in handling your wool. Let us build up a reputation for our fine wools.

Never was there anything like the demand for Short-horns of both sexes that exists at the present day, but more especially for bulls for crossing on native cows, to grade up their offspring for a superior class of bullocks. This greatly increased demand is not only found in America, but also in England, their native home, the British Colonies, and throughout the continent of Europe. It is true that such prices cannot be obtained now as ruled four to ten years ago, but then the demand was limited, and only a few could be sold at the prevailing prices. Now all are eagerly taken for breeding purposes, and this pays much better in the long run.—[National Live-Stock Journal, Chicago.

Poser county, Indiana, claims to have raised the largest corn in the world. Her name is Lady Packer, breed, mixed Durham and Big English. Her measurements are: greatest height, 5 feet 10 inches; girth, 8 feet 9 inches; length, 10 feet 6 inches, including tail, 17 feet. Her form is good; and though not fat, she weighs 3,000 pounds. Her color is red and white, red predominating. Age, six years. Her present owner lives in Stark county, Illinois.

As showing the possibilities of improvements in corn and potato culture, a prize trial was made by boys in Vermont last year, in which Frank J. Hubbard made a crop of corn which yielded at the rate of 192 bushels of shelled corn to the acre, and Lewis S. Brod raised a crop of potatoes at the rate of 422 bushels per acre. This is in a State where the average for corn is 39 and potatoes 140 bushels.

Col. R. G. Stoner has purchased the chestnut colt, Mambrino Russell, three years old, by Woodford Mambrino, out of Miss Russell (dam of Maud S.) for \$6,000.

The annual Clark County Bull Show will occur on the 25th inst. (court day) on the streets of Winchester. This Bull Show commenced on April court day, 1871, and was gotten up by the editor of the Sun.

The tobacco crop throughout the Union is estimated at three hundred millions of pounds, and is valued at over forty millions of dollars, and the demand each year grows greater.

It is pleasant to note the progress being made in Kentucky. A correspondent of the Barbourville Chronicle writes that paper as follows:

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